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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**FORMER CHARLESTOWN MAIL CARRIER CHARGED WITH
DESTRUCTUION OF MAIL**

PRESS RELEASE

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that STEVIE ROLAND HAGER, 48, of Jeffersonville, Indiana, was charged today with destruction of mail by a postal service employee, following an investigation by the U.S. Postal Inspection Service.

The information alleges that HAGER removed money from a greeting card that he obtained while employed by the Postal Service.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Todd S. Shellenbarger, who is prosecuting the case for the government, HAGER faces a maximum possible prison sentence of 1 year and a maximum possible fine of \$100,000. An initial hearing will be scheduled

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before a U.S. Magistrate Judge in New Albany.

The information is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.

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